

[Translation]

Proposal for Development of Sports in Bihar

2259 SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal for development of sports in Bihar under the Eighth Five Year Plan, and

(b) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT) (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE) (a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise

Additional coaches in Trains

2260 SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) whether the Union Government propose to attach additional coaches of second class general compartment in each of the 2311/2312, 2381/2382 and 2815/2816 trains running on the Grand Chord line in view of the increasing number of passenger on this route, and

(b) if so, the details thereof, and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL - LIKARJUN) (a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Due to non-availability of room on these trains

[English]

Frequency of Rajkot-Trivandrum and Ahmedabad-Cochin Expresses

2261 SHRIMATI DIPIKA H TOPIWALA Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government propose to run 2603 Rajkot Trivandrum and 2637 Ahmedabad-Cochin Express daily,

(b) if so, the details thereof and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL - LIKARJUN) (a) to (c) There is no proposal to increase the frequency of 2603/2604 Trivandrum-Rajkot and 2637/2638 Cochin-Ahmedabad Expresses. However, it has been decided to introduce a new weekly service between Trivandrum and Gandhidham w e f 1 7 92. This train will run on the same scheduled as 2603/2604 and 2637/2638 Expresses on common sections.

Reservation Quota for Godhra

2262 SHRIMATI DIPIKA H TOPIWALA Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government propose to increase the reservation quota for Godhra junction on Western Railway in South bound trains,

(b) if so, when it is likely to be implemented, and